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## The Intercolonial Railway

The Intercolonial Railway of Canada is the only All Rail line from Montreal to the extreme points of the Maritime Provinces. It is equally popular as the great tourist and sportsman's route, and that by which the desirable places in the Provinces by the Sea can be most conveniently reached.

The Intercolonial Railway, with the Prince Edward Island Railway, embraces nearly 1,600 miles of thoroughly built road, with rail and steamer connections for many hundreds of miles in addition to this, and it traverses the most varied and inviting tourist country on the continent. Each year the advantages of this route are becoming better known and the volume of travel is increasing, until the country of the Intercolonial attracts tourists from every part of the civilized world.

Starting from Montreal, the Intercolonial crosses the Victoria Jubilee Bridge, passing through the beautiful country east of the Canadian Metropolis, and takes the shortest and most direct route to Quebec. In this noted city, where the romance of history is impressed upon the visitor at every turn, there is much to attract and occupy the stranger, and one would be reluctant to leave it were there not so much of a glorious country yet to be seen along the route to the east and south of the Ancient Capital. Following the south shore of the Lower St. Lawrence, the Intercolonial makes its way among picturesque French-Canadian villages, and reaching such well known summer resorts as Riviere du Loup, Cacouna and Little Metis, with other places most attractive to tourists. Beyond these it traverses the Metapedia Valley and enters upon the great salmon and trout fishing region. This includes the Metapedia and other streams in Quebec, as well as the Cascapedia and other noted streams in Gaspé, with the famed Restigouche, Nepisiguit, Upsalquitch and Miramichi in New Brunswick. The Restigouche is the boundary river between the two provinces, and after passing Campbellton the Railway runs along the shore of the Baie de Chaleur. On the opposite side of this wonderful haven is seen the Gaspé Peninsula, the land of bold and impressive scenery. On the New Brunswick side such places as Dalhousie and Bathurst have much to attract, while further on are the flourishing towns of Newcastle and Chatham. At Moncton, 185 miles from Campbellton and 186 from Halifax, are the General Offices, workshops, etc., of the Intercolonial Railway. At this point, in the estuary of the Petitcodiac river, the strange tidal phenomenon known as the Bore may be seen to better advantage than at any other part of the Bay of Fundy.

During the summer Prince Edward Island is reached by taking a fast and finely appointed steamer at Point du Chene, the terminus of a branch of the Intercolonial, 19 miles from

Moncton. This steamer makes daily trips each way between Point du Chene, N.B., and Summerside, connecting with the Prince Edward Island Railway. A daily steamer also plies between Pictou, N.S., and Charlottetown, connecting with trains of the Intercolonial and Prince Edward Island Railways. Of the Island itself no brief mention can give an adequate idea. It is rich in all that pertains to agriculture, and to the summer visitor it is the ideal of a place of refreshment and rest. There is an abundance of surf bathing, trout fishing and sea fowl shooting in various parts of the Island. Excellent board may be had at very reasonable rates at various places along the shores.

West from Moncton, the Intercolonial Railway runs 89 miles, through a flourishing and well settled country, to St. John, the commercial capital of New Brunswick, and a seaport from which a large transatlantic trade in western products is carried on during each winter. The summer climate of St. John is delightfully cool, and the city has many attractions. A steamer voyage on the river as far as Fredericton reveals some of the finest scenery of the kind in America.

South from Moncton, the Intercolonial Railway passes through a fine farming country and enters Nova Scotia. There is much worthy of attention in the flourishing towns on the route to Halifax, and the latter city is known everywhere as the famous military and naval station of North America. There is much in and around Halifax to interest the visitor, both in the way of the fortifications, the dockyard, etc., and in the features which the city has of itself. The harbor and waters connected with it are especially worthy of notice, while charming excursion points, reached both by land and water, abound in the vicinity of the city.

Running easterly from Truro is the portion of the Intercolonial which goes to Pictou, New Glasgow, Mulgrave, and thence through beautiful Cape Breton to the Sydneys. Sydney and North Sydney are places which have shown a wonderful development within the last year or two, and the promise of their growth in future is equally encouraging.

From Sydney the historic Louisburg is easily reached by rail, and from North Sydney a fast steamer makes quick trips to Newfoundland. Steamers run from here during the summer to St. Pierre, Miquelon, and other points.

The whole island of Cape Breton is year by year becoming better recognized as the Summer Paradise of Canada, and the ideal land for tourists. It must be seen to be enjoyed.



## A COUNTRY OF FISH AND GAME

The Intercolonial Railway of Canada, extending from Montreal, the commercial metropolis, to Halifax, N.S., Sydney, N.S., St. John, N.B., and also including Prince Edward Island in the Government Railway System, is exceedingly rich in all kinds of fish and game found in this part of America. This is especially true of that portion of the railway south of Quebec city which passes through the Metapedia Valley and reaches the well known sportsman's paradise of the Maritime Provinces. All along the route of the railway are streams famous for their salmon and trout fishing, some of which have a world-wide reputation. The moose, deer, caribou, and other large game, are found in many parts of the country, and are easily procured even by sportsmen who have had a limited experience in the woods. The Intercolonial Railway, striking through the heart of the very best fishing and shooting country, makes access to the most desirable places a very convenient matter, a short and easy journey from the nearest station frequently taking one to the forest or stream where the best of results can be obtained. Some idea of the better known of these places can be gathered from the following pages, where the information required is given in condensed form.

The Intercolonial has one feature which few, if any, railways possess to the same extent. For a distance of several hundred miles in Quebec it is intersected by rivers easily navigable for small boats or canoes. By these natural highways one may pursue his journey far into the interior, make a short portage from the headwaters of one to those of another, and descend the latter to the lines of railway in New Brunswick. A glance at the map will show what ample opportunities there are for this kind of recreation. Leaving the railway and ascending one river, coming down another and up another, spending days among the lakes, fishing, shooting, enjoying life to the utmost, one is as much in the wilderness as if thousands of miles away. Yet all this time he knows that, if necessary, a few hours will bring him to the railway, the mail and the telegraph—to communicate with the busy world. He may leave the railway on the shores of the St. Lawrence and make a canoe voyage to the Baie de Chaleur or Bay of Fundy. When he arrives at his destination he will find his luggage and his letters awaiting him. The route may be varied and the voyage prolonged as may suit the voyager's taste. Notably good fishing may be had at Lakes St. Francis and Temiscouata and on the Saguenay River; but on such a trip one may fish and hunt everywhere as he goes. In the Temiscouata region alone one may make a canoe voyage for at least eighty miles, and if he chooses can, by portaging, descend the great Miramichi to the ocean. Portages can be made so as to reach any of the

three great rivers of New Brunswick, the Miramichi, the Restigouche, or St. John. The whole country is open to any man who can sit in a canoe and ply a paddle.

In the following pages the information relating to the various provinces is given in tabular form, and there is also a summary of the game laws of each province. It should be noted that the game and fishing regulations are liable to slight changes and revisions each session of the Provincial Legislatures, but the intending visitor can at any time easily inform himself on the particular points which interest him.

### PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

The Province of Quebec is divided from New Brunswick by the Restigouche River. All along the Lower St. Lawrence are good salmon and trout streams, while game is abundant in many places and especially in the eastern portion of the province. The Metapedia and its connecting rivers are famous, while there is also good fishing in the lakes. Along the borders of Quebec and New Brunswick are a number of rivers on which canoe voyages may be made, with short portages to other streams.

Moose, deer and caribou are found in abundance in all parts of the country, and the trapper will be at no loss to find the haunts of the beaver and many other fur bearing animals. Partridge are to be had everywhere, close to the line of railway, and very often can be shot without leaving the track.

The Metapedia owes its chief fame to the salmon fishing, which is found everywhere for at least forty miles along the course of the stream, to say nothing of the other rivers by which it is joined. One of these is the Causapescal, and some rare fishing is enjoyed at the forks, where the Princess Louise once landed a forty-pound salmon. The best fishing in this vicinity is from the middle of June to the middle of July. Trout may be caught with ease all through the season, not only in the rivers, but at such places as Amqui and Trout Lakes. The Metapedia trout are as large as some fish which pass for salmon in other countries. At Asrametquaghan, at McKinnon Brook, and at Mill Stream, will be found particularly good fishing. Two men have gone out on an afternoon and remained until noon the next day, securing nearly 250 pounds of trout, each one averaging four pounds in weight, but many running as high as seven pounds.

Big game is found in the country along the line of railway for more than two hundred miles west of Campbellton, N.B. The distance of the hunting grounds from the track varies according to the locality.

In addition to the hunting and fishing grounds directly along the line of the railway, good sport is found in the Gaspé Peninsula, reached from Metapedia Station by the Atlantic &

Lake Superior Railway, running as far as New Carlisle, by team from Croas Point opposite Campbellton, and, during the season of navigation, by steamer running from Dalhousie, N.B., to various ports in Gaspé. The interior of the peninsula is unsettled and much of it is a vast forest, where guides are an absolute necessity. The salmon river include such well known ones as the Grand Cascapedia, Nouvelle, Pabos and others. Fine sea trout are caught in the Barrachois and other rivers, and many good lakes in the interior are free to the public. Moose and caribou are found in the forests,

## PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

(OPEN SEASON)

### HUNTING

**BIG GAME.**—Moose and Deer, September 1st to December 31st, inclusive, excepting Ottawa and Pontiac Counties.

Moose and Deer in Ottawa and Pontiac Counties, October 1st to November 30th, inclusive.

Caribou, September 1st to January 31st, inclusive.

Bear, August 20th to June 30th, inclusive

No more than one moose, two deer, and t. caribou may be killed in one season by any one person.

Dogs may be used to hunt red deer only between October 20th and November 1st.

No person owning, having or harboring any dog accustomed to hunt and pursue deer shall allow such dog to run at large, hunt or pursue in any places inhabited by deer, between November 1st of one year and October 20th of following year, under a penalty of a fine, and any one may, without incurring responsibility, kill any such dog found running at large, hunting or coursing in such localities between the above mentioned dates.

The young of deer, moose or caribou, if only one year old or less, must not be killed.

Cow moose must not be killed at any time.

**OTHER GAME.**—Mink, otter, marten, pekan, fox (except yellow or red), raccoon, November 1st to March 31st, inclusive.

Beaver are protected until November 1st, 1905.

Fox (yellow or red), at all times.

Hare, November 1st to January 31st, inclusive.

Muskrat, April 1st to April 30th, inclusive.

**GAME BIRDS.**—Curlew, plover, sandpiper, snipe, tattler, woodcock, September 1st to January 31st, inclusive.

Birch partridge, swamp partridge, September 1st to December 14th, inclusive.

White partridge (ptarmigan), November 1st to February 28th, inclusive.

Widgeon, teal or wild duck of any kind, except sheldrake, loons and gulls, September 15th to February 28th, inclusive.

Buffle-head ducks, commonly known as pied-ducks or divers, September 1st to April 14th, inclusive.

### EAST AND NORTH OF SAGUENAY RIVER

Regulations for that part of the counties of Chicoutimi and Saguenay to the east and north of the River Saguenay are the same as the foregoing, except for the following the open season is shown :

Caribou, September 1st to February 28th, inclusive (and not more than four caribou may be killed in one season).

Hare, October 15th to March 14th, inclusive.

Muskrat, November 1st to March 31st, inclusive.

Otter, October 15th to April 14th, inclusive.

Birch or swamp partridge, September 15th to January 31st, inclusive.

White partridge (ptarmigan), November 1st to February 28th inclusive.

### HUNTING LICENSE—ENTIRE PROVINCE

NON-RESIDENTS are required to obtain licenses to hunt, which may be procured on application to the Commissioner of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, Quebec, P.Q.

The fee for hunting license for residents of Ontario is \$15.00 for season, and \$25.00 for other non-residents for season.

### WASTE OF GAME

No person who has killed or taken any bird or animal suitable for food shall allow the flesh thereof to be destroyed or spoilt, and no person who has killed or taken a fur-bearing animal shall allow the skin thereof to be destroyed or spoilt.

### TRANSPORTATION—ENTIRE PROVINCE

After the first fifteen (15) days of the close season all public carriers are forbidden to transport any game or portions or hides thereof.

### FISHING

(ENTIRE PROVINCE)

Bas, June 16th to April 14th, inclusive.

Maskinonge, July 2nd to May 24th, inclusive.

Ouananiche, December 2nd to September 14th, inclusive.

Pickrel (dore), May 16th to April 17th, inclusive.

Salmon, February 2nd to August 14th, inclusive.

Speckled trout, May 1st to September 30th, inclusive.

Lake trout, grey trout, or lunge, December 2nd to October 14th, inclusive.

Whitefish, December 2nd to November 9th, inclusive.

### LICENSE

NON-RESIDENTS are required to procure licenses to fish, which may be obtained on application to the Commissioner of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, Quebec, P.Q. License fee, one month \$10.00; two months \$15.00; three months \$20.00.

### TRANSPORTATION—ENTIRE PROVINCE

#### EXPORT OF CERTAIN KINDS OF TROUT PROHIBITED

No one shall receive, ship, transport or have in possession for the purpose of shipping or transporting out of the Dominion of Canada any speckled trout, river trout or sea trout, taken or caught in the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; provided:—

(a) Any person may so ship such trout caught by him for sport, to the extent of 25 lbs. in weight, if the shipment is accompanied by a certificate to that effect from either the local fishery officer in whose district the fish were caught or from the local station agent adjacent to the locality in which they were caught, or is accompanied by copy of the official license or permit issued to the person making the shipment.

(b) No single package of such trout shall exceed 25 lbs. in weight, nor shall any person be permitted to ship more than one package during the season.

# PROVINCE OF QUEBEC—FISHING AND HUNTING RESORTS ON THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

SHOOTING.		FISHING.			Guides and their Charges per day.	Livery Charge.	Hotels.
Nearest Railway Station.	Kind of Game.	Name of Stream.	Miles from Station.	Kind of Fish.			
Amqui	Moose, deer, caribou and partridge.	Angus Lake.	3	Trout, fine fishing, apply to Station Agent, Camapoc.	Paul Fortier, E. Bechlin.	\$2.00	Paul Fortier, E. Bechlin.
Asion Jet.	Deer and caribou	Beaucoueur River.	2	Whitefish and golden trout.	T. Vigars.	1.00	Mrs. Pichon, T. Vigars.
Beloeil		Beloeil River.		Trout and dore		2.00; 4.00	Beloeil, Beloeil, Beloeil.
Bic.		Lac des Baies		Trout	Paul Briere, \$1.25	1.50	C. Pichon, Canada; E. Lacour, Bay, \$1.00.
Cap St. Ignace.		Cap St. Ignace shore.	1 to 5	Trout in lakes, shore fish	J. S. Bernard.	2.00 and 3.50	J. S. Bernard.
Camapoc	Moose and caribou, 12 miles from the station.	Angus Lake; for privilege apply to Agent, Camapoc.	11	Trout. Fee \$1.00 a day	P. Michaud, P. Levesque, E. Levesque, J. Cote, H. Rivin.	2.00	Mrs. Belanger, \$1.00. E. Buis, \$1.00. Cedar Hall, \$1.00.
Cedar Hall	Moose and caribou, 6 miles from the station.		6		Apply station agent		Forest's, \$1.50.
Druumontville	Deer, bear, caribou, partridge, woodcock in vicinity.	St. Francis River, Bras d'Alma, Duchene.		Pickered, bass, sturgeon, pike, shad and trout. Permits may be had.	John Dawson and others.	2.50	Grand Central, \$1.00; Alphonse American, \$1.00; James and Windsor.
Flatlands	Moose, caribou, deer; up to 20 miles, 20 miles, 20 miles.	Beloeil and Upouloich Rivers.	14 to 16	Salmon and trout. Permits may be had.			C. Cote, Desjardins, \$1.00.
Lac Verte	Wild geese and other seabirds.	Lac Verte, 1 mile; Pointe a Long, 1 mile; Lake aux Pommets, 7 miles.		Trout	A. Guillemette, A. Talbot and others.	1.00 to 1.75	Forest's, LeClere's, \$1.00.
Kingsburg Jet.	Caribou, deer and partridge.	Riviere du Chene.		Trout	J. B. Cloutier		Quisque House, Route 2, \$1.50; Sea side and Turrell, \$1.50.
L'Islet	Caribou, deer and moose; at Grace's Island, 3 miles; at Marcell, 12 miles.	Salmon Lake.		Trout			Gillis, Ferguson, Dorian, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
Little Metis	Duck, 6 miles from the station.	Asie Lake.	3	Trout		1.00	Forest's, LeClere's, \$1.00.
Metapedia	Moose, caribou and deer.	Metapedia, Upouloich, Riviere du Chene, Patepedit, Kogewick.	Many places up to 50 m.	Salmon, trout. Club privilege. Apply John Dawson, Mrs. C. Dawson, Max Mowatt, Allan Wheeler.	Guides very numerous: P. Wyers, J. Wyers, Mowatt, D. Wyers, C. Adams, etc.	1.00	Quisque House, Route 2, \$1.50; Sea side and Turrell, \$1.50.

Millstream	Moose, caribou, red deer, partridge and duck; 4 miles each side of station.		Riviere du Chene		4	Salmon and trout. Apply to A. Mowatt, Campbellton, N.B., for privileges.	Salmon and trout. Apply to A. Mowatt, Campbellton, N.B., for privileges.			Private house, J. McDonald and J. Mowatt.
Moosapark					6	Trout, whitefish	Trout, whitefish			Private house, T. Mowatt, H. Mowatt.
Nicolet	Duck, plover and snipe; on Lake St. Peter.		Adjacent Rivers			Salmon and trout	Salmon and trout	J. A. Talbot, J. Crevier.		St. Germain, Rimouski, W. Mowatt, LeClere, Mowatt, Mowatt.
Rimouski	Moose, caribou, deer, duck, geese.		Adjacent Rivers			Salmon and trout. Share fishing.	Salmon and trout. Share fishing.			Theroux, \$1.00. P. Mowatt, Mrs. Mowatt, \$1.00.
Riviere du Loup	Deer, 2 miles from station.		Coatic Lake, Lake des Baies.		16	Salmon, trout. Apply to A. Mowatt, St. John's, Quebec, for privileges.	Salmon, trout. Apply to A. Mowatt, St. John's, Quebec, for privileges.	Apply to agent.		Victoria, Commercial, Bellevue, \$1.50.
St. Cyrille	Deer and caribou, 5 to 16 miles.		Metis and other lakes.		30 to 40	Trout. Apply to Price Bros., Quebec, and Nesque, Club, Quebec. About sec. per day.	Trout. Apply to Price Bros., Quebec, and Nesque, Club, Quebec. About sec. per day.			Commercial, Bellevue, \$1.50.
St. Flavie	Caribou, moose, duck and partridge.				30 to 40	Pike, dore, bass.	Pike, dore, bass.			Commercial, Bellevue, \$1.50.
St. Hilaire			Richelieu River		3			J. B. Berube, C. Levesque.	1.50, 2.00	Commercial, Bellevue, \$1.50.
St. Helene	Duck, at St. Germain, 5 miles.		Richelieu River		3			M. Caron and others.	1.50, 2.00	Mag. Gaudreault, \$1.00. P. C. Dupont.
St. Jean Port Joli	Deer, caribou and moose, near the border, 30 miles.		Lake Trois Saumons, free; Lake St. Anne, leased.		7	Trout	Trout	M. F. Mowatt, A. Dubuc, A. Durette.	1.50, 2.00	Victoria, Richmond, Ward, Roy, & others.
St. Louise	Deer, caribou and partridge, at St. Damase, 7 miles.		Petit Lac		30	Trout	Trout	J. Cote, Damase Pelletier, Cote, St. Paschal, Que.	1.50	J. Mowatt, E. Desjardins.
St. Moise			Lake Malcolm		4	Trout	Trout	Apply to station agent.		Dery's, Lavigne's, \$1.50.
St. Paschal	Moose, caribou, deer, partridge and plover, at Woodbridge and Pouchou, 4 miles.		East Lake, Riviere du Loup, Moose Lake, Trout Lake, Heaver Lake.		6 to 20	Trout, tailed. Further information from P. E. Cote, St. Paschal, Que.	Trout, tailed. Further information from P. E. Cote, St. Paschal, Que.	Leon Vallancourt, \$1.50.	\$1 to \$6	
Saguenay	Moose, caribou, deer, partridge		Numerous		3 to 15	Trout, tailed.	Trout, tailed.			
Trois Pistoles	Partridge and rabbit, at St. Matthew's Lake, 13 miles.		St. Matthew's Lake.		23	Trout and other fish.	Trout and other fish.			



## PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

It is claimed that New Brunswick has more big game to the square mile of its territory than any other province of Canada. At least one-third of the province is good hunting ground and most easily reached, from the fact that in New Brunswick as a whole there are more than sixteen hundred miles of railway, or a mile of railway for each nineteen miles of area. Moose are found in at least twelve of the fourteen counties, and either moose or caribou in all but two. Moose, caribou, or deer are found in every county, and sometimes all three are in one neighborhood. The best moose grounds are to the east and north of the River St. John, north of Kings County, and extending to the Restigouche River and north-eastern seaboard. This portion of the province has been described as a vast game preserve, running one hundred and fifty miles to the northward, and having in some places a width of more than one hundred miles east and west. Some of the moose are very large, there being a record of a measurement between tips of antlers of sixty-six inches, while those with a measurement of fifty inches are frequently shot. Further particulars on these points will be found in the book "Rod and Gun in New Brunswick," which will be sent on application to the Crown Lands Department, Fredericton, N.B.

The whole of what is called the North Shore in New Brunswick, that portion extending from the Restigouche along the Baie de Chaleur, is a salmon and trout fishing country. The Restigouche itself with its tributary waters, is perhaps the finest salmon river in the world, while such streams as the Nepisiguit and Miramichi are well known to fishermen everywhere. The sea trout found in the lower parts of the New Brunswick rivers are notable for their size and quality.

Of recent years much attention has been given to the preservation of game in New Brunswick, and with such success has the law been enforced that instead of there being a diminution of sport, there is really more of it than there was a score of years ago. The moose are not being slaughtered indiscriminately, and may be said to be holding their own, while deer and caribou are undoubtedly on the increase.

The following is a summary of the Game and Fishing Laws:

The close season for moose, caribou and deer, is from the 31st of December to the 15th of the following September. Penalty not exceeding \$200.

## PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

(OPEN SEASON)

### HUNTING

BIG GAME.—Moose, caribou, deer or red deer, September 15th to November 30th.

Cow moose (of any age) and calf moose (under age of one year) are protected at all times.

Moose, caribou and deer are protected in the County of Albert until 1903.

No person shall kill or take more than one moose, one caribou and two deer during any one year.

Moose, caribou and deer are not to be hunted with dogs, or to be caught by means of traps or snares.

No person shall hunt, take, hurt, injure, shoot, wound, kill or destroy any moose or caribou in the night time, i.e., between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise.

OTHER GAME.—Beaver, protected until July 1st, 1907.

Mink, fisher or sable, otter, protected until 1906.

Muskrat, in Kings, Queens, and Sunbury Counties, March 10th to June 10th.

GAME BIRDS.—Shooting of partridge is prohibited for the next two years.

No person shall hunt, take, hurt, injure, trap, snare, shoot, wound, kill or destroy any partridge in the County of Albert, between the fifteenth day of September, 1901, and the fifteenth day of September, 1903.

Woodcock and snipe, from September 2nd to November 30th.

Wild geese, brant, teal, wood duck, dusky duck, commonly called black duck, September 2nd to November 30th.

Wild geese, brant, teal, wood duck, dusky duck, commonly called black duck, shall not be hunted with artificial light, nor with swivel or punt guns, nor trapped or netted at any time.

Sea-gulls, pheasants, song-birds and insectivorous birds, entirely protected.

Sunday shooting is prohibited.

### HUNTING LICENSES

GUIDES AND CAMP HELP must take a license for that business costing one dollar, and are not allowed to shoot big game when acting as such. They may, however, take licenses when not acting as guides or camp help. Non-resident guides are prohibited from acting as guides in the Province.

NON-RESIDENTS must not kill any moose or caribou without having obtained a license from the Crown Lands Office, Fredericton, N.B., or from the Chief Game Commissioner, or any county or special game warden, by payment of a fee of \$30; license to be in force for one open season.

Resident's License, \$2.00.

### TRANSPORTATION

Every corporation, railway, express company, or other common carrier, or person acting as a common carrier, shall



be guilty of an offence and liable to the penalty hereinafter provided, who, at any time or season hereafter in any part of the Province:

(a) Carries or transports from place to place any live moose, caribou or deer, or the carcass or any portion thereof, or the green hide of such game, unless the same be accompanied by the owner thereof, and be open to view and tagged or labelled with the owner's name and address;

(b) Carries or transports without the Province any live game, or the carcass or any portion thereof, or the green hide or pelt of any game. Nothing herein shall apply to game transported or exported on the special permit of the Surveyor-General under the provisions of Section 44, or to the transportation of heads or hides of moose, caribou or deer, shipped or delivered to any bona fide taxidermist within the Province.

### FISHING

Bass may be caught with hook and line at all times of year.  
Lake Trout, May 1st to September 30th.

Land-locked salmon, April 1st to September 30th.

Speckled trout, April 1st to September 30th.

Salmon, February 1st to August 15th.

The use of explosive materials to catch or kill fish is illegal.

### EXPORT OF CERTAIN KINDS OF TROUT PROHIBITED

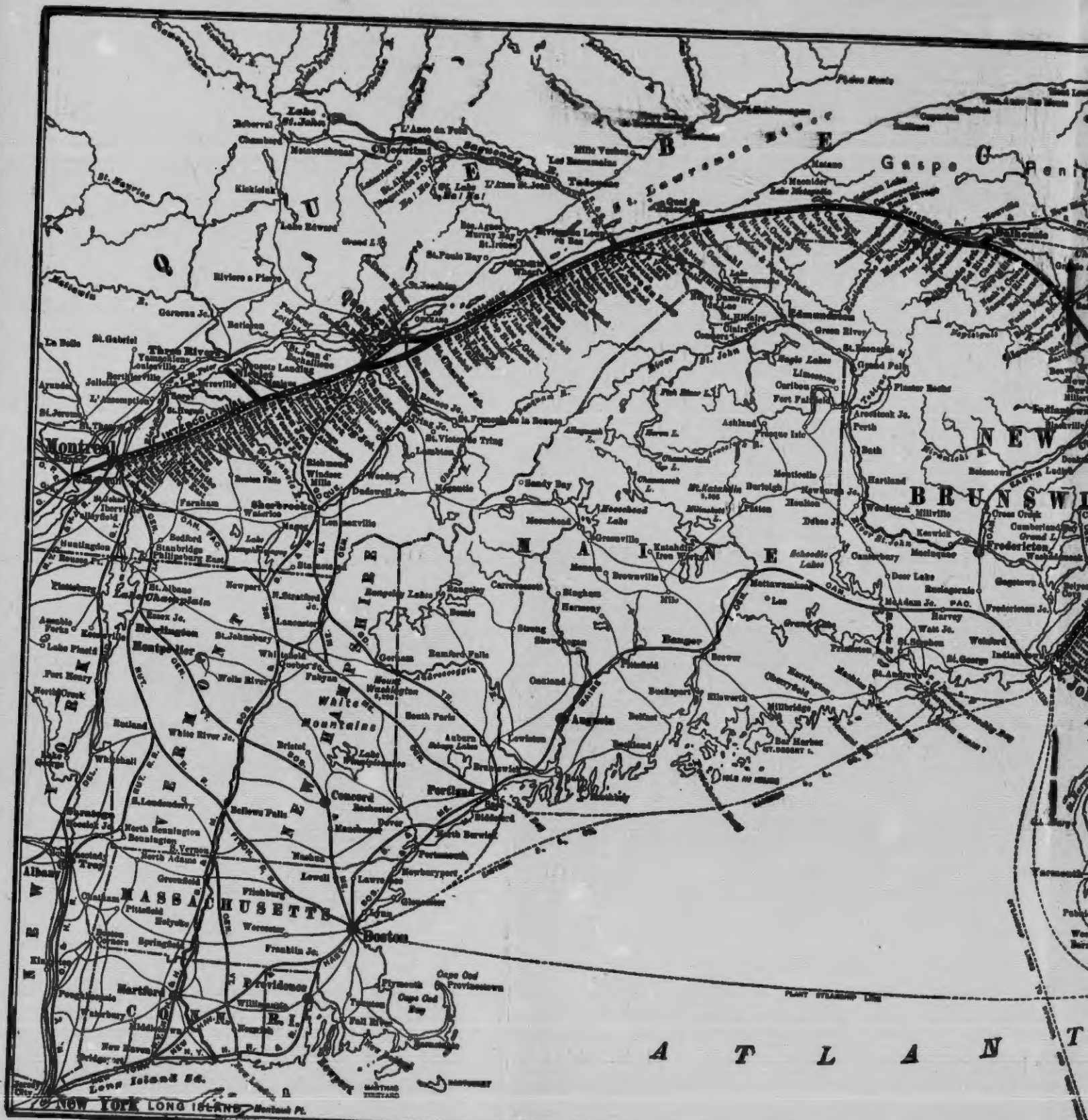
No one shall receive, ship, transport or have in possession for the purpose of shipping or transporting out of the Dominion of Canada any speckled trout, river trout or sea trout, taken or caught in the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; provided,—

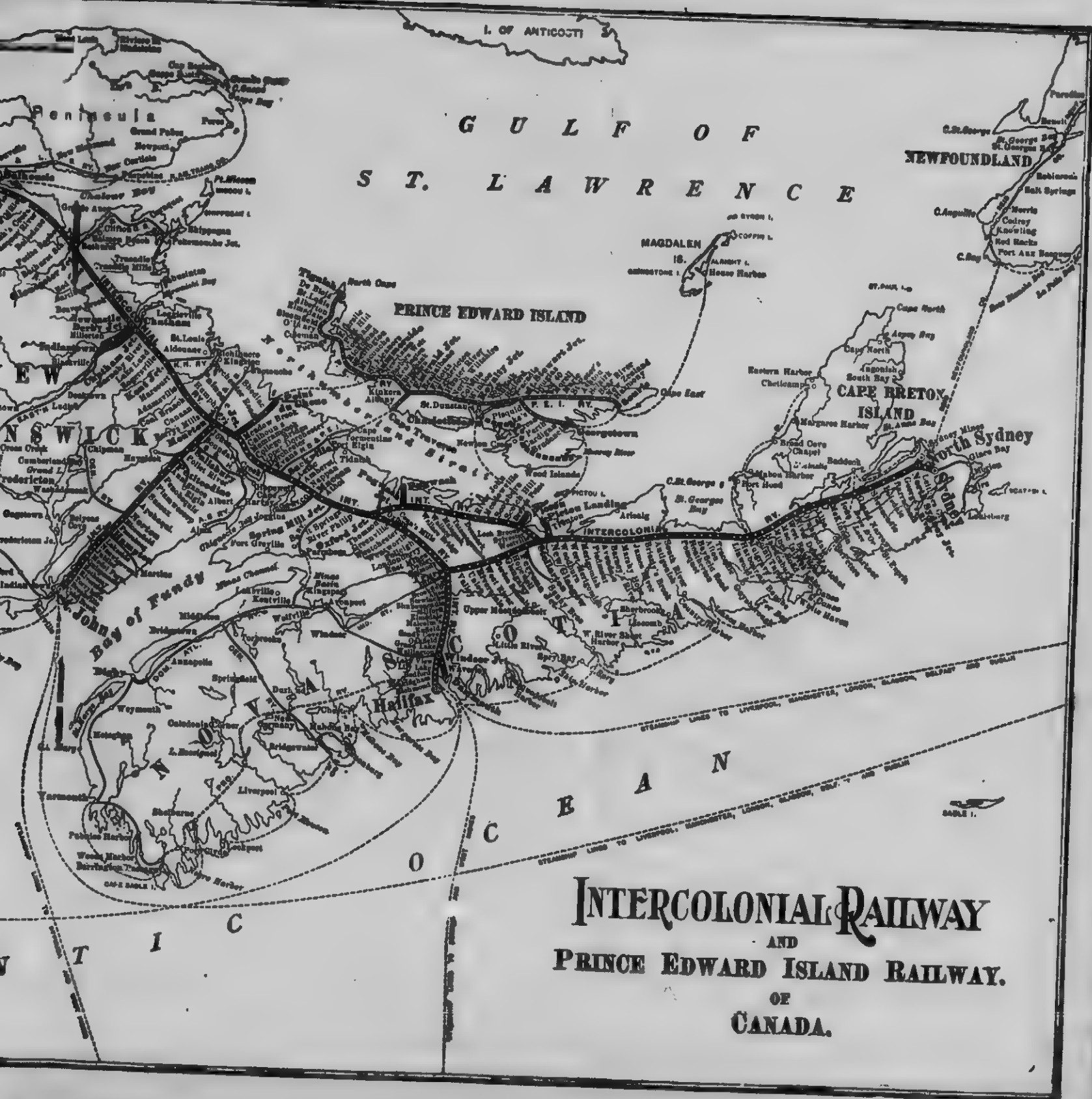
(a) Any person may so ship such trout caught by him for sport, to the extent of 25 lbs. in weight, if the shipment is accompanied by a certificate to that effect from either the local fishery officer in whose district the fish were caught or from the local station agent adjacent to the locality in which they were caught, or is accompanied by copy of the official license or permit issued to the person making the shipment.

(b) No single package of such trout shall exceed 25 lbs. in weight, nor shall any person be permitted to ship more than one package during the season.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—All game laws mentioned in this folder are subject to revision by the Provincial Legislatures when in session.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK—FISHING AND HUNTING REPORTS ON THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY						
Nearest Railway Station.	SHOOTING.		FISHING.		Miles from Station	
	Kind of Game.	Name of Stream.	Kind of Fish.	Guides and their Charges.	Livery Charge.	Hotels
Anagance	Moose, deer, bear, partridge, geese, duck, jolt, caribou, and the lake.	Anagance Stream, Portage North Lake, Portage Lakes, Jolt Lake.	Trout.	S. A. Stockton	\$2 to \$3	Smith's, Portage.
Anlac	Moose, caribou, partridge, geese, bear, Apply to H. Bishop for hunting license.	Nepisiguit River.	Trout, 1 to 4 lbs.	Geo. Connell, Pat. Fournier	2.50 and 5.00	Fournier House, \$1.00; Robertson House, \$2.00; Wilbur House, \$1.50; Foley House, \$1.00; Powers House, \$1.00
Bathurst	Moose, caribou, partridge, geese, bear, Apply to H. Bishop for hunting license.	Tetapogue River; Salmon and trout. Caraque River.	Salmon, trout, Salmon fishing privileges can be leased. Apply to H. Bishop.	Philip Selick, E. Bernard	1.00 to 3.00	Bloomfield Hotel, 75c.
Beaver Brook	Moose, caribou, deer, etc. and snipe.	Passequing River, Kennebecasis River.	Trout, salmon.	Apply station agent or proprietors of hotels.	3.00; 4.00	J. Bernard, \$1.00
Bloomfield	Moose, deer, caribou	Chasun River at station, North Fork, Middle Fork, East Branch, Tide Head, 5m; Richards' Lake, 6m; Mission Lake 4m; Parker Lake 7m; Indian Lake, 12m.	Brook trout and perch	G. Duchene, H. Thompson, Abner McKay.	3.00	Royal Commercial, Waverley, \$1.50
Canaan	Moose, caribou deer, bear, duck, brant, geese, at Oak Bay, 3 miles. Larger game from 3 to 50 miles.	Charlo River	Salmon and trout	Jas. Spencer, \$2.00; E. Goutre.	2.00; 3.00	Bay Shore House, \$1.00; \$5.00 per week
Campbellton	Moose, caribou, partridge, Big game at head of Charlo and Nestigouche R., 12 to 30 m.	Coal Branch Lake.	Trout, salmon. Some privileges leased, but generally free.	Two men and canoe. \$3.00	2.50; 5.00	Murphy's Hotel, \$1.50; Clifton House, \$1.00; Baie de Chaleur \$1.
Charlo	Moose, caribou, deer, at Douglas Lake, 4 miles.	Charlo River, Nouvelle and Eucumine Rivers in Quebec.	Trout (In Quebec opposite Dalhousie are many trout streams).	W. B. Lawrence.	.....	Windsor Hotel
Coal Branch	Geese, brant, duck.	Bel River	Sea trout in May and June.	Apply H. Bishop, Bathurst.	.....	Nearest Hotels are at Bathurst
Dalhousie and Dalhousie Jet.	Moose and deer.	Nepisiguit River	Salmon and trout	.....	.....	.....
Forchester	Moose, duck, geese.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hel River	Moose caribou, deer bear, along Nepisiguit River.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gloucester Jet.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....







Jacquet River	Moose, caribou, deer, partridge. Within 1 mile of station.	Jacquet River, 1 mile; Bellefleur River, 4 miles; Lakes, 10 miles.	1	Salmon, trout, perch, cod, mackerel.	H. Stanger, Alex. Davidson, William Miller, J. A. Horton, E. Warman, J. McPherson, William Saunders.	1.50; 2.50	J. Barkley, \$1.00; M.P. Doyle, \$1.00; Morton House, \$1.00.
Kent Jet	Moose, caribou, deer. Head of Kennebec River, 4 to 12m.	Kennebec River, 4 to 12m.	1	Trout	William Saunders.	3.00 to 5.00	Brunswick, \$2.00; Minto and American, \$1.50; Windsor, \$1.00; LeBlanc's and Thibault's.
Moonson	Partridge at Scotch Settlement Canaan and in Albert County.	At the Lakes.	10	Trout		1.50 to 2.50	C. D. Prince, \$1.25; Waverley, \$1.50; Union, \$1.50.
Nash's Creek	Moose and caribou at lakes 10 miles from station.	At the Lakes.	1	Trout, pickerel, salmon.	G. W. Dodge.		
Nauwigwanak	Duck and partridge.	At the Lakes.			Further information regarding this great hunting and fishing section may be obtained from Mr. Robt. H. Armstrong, Newcastle, N. B., D. C. Smith, Chatham, N. B., L. B. Knight, St. John, N. B.		
Newcastle	Moose, caribou, deer, 40 miles from Newcastle. River: Moose, caribou, bear, 35 miles (this is a very fine moose ground). Partridge: This is the best caribou ground in New Brunswick. The intercolonial Ry. passes through the barrens; five minutes walk from Barre-bogue station and one is in the caribou country. Partridge and Tabasintac Rivers: Excellent moose and caribou ground. 20 miles over a good road. Little Sou' West Miramichi: Very fine moose and caribou ground from 20 to 75 m. Guisguis Lakes: Moose, caribou, bear, 50 m. Renous River: Moose, caribou, bear; fine game country. 26 to 70m Bald Mountains. Another great game country particularly for fine caribou heads. 60m.	At the Lakes. Hammond River. Otty's Brook, Darley's Brook Ox Bow, Little S. W. Miramichi. Good sea trout, fishing 24th May after June 1, excellent salmon fishing, 10m. free. Big Hole, N. W. Miramichi. Excellent salmon and sea trout, fishing June 1 to Aug 15. Privilege can be rented by day or week. 21m. Indian town, S. W. Miramichi. Sea trout, about May 15, free. North West Miramichi: Salmon and trout from June 1, 16 to 50m. Little S. W. Miramichi: Salmon trout, June 1 to 20m. Kenous R.; Salmon trout, 30m. TROUT STREAMS ONLY. Bartibogue R.: Excellent sea trout, June 10, \$1.50 per day; guide furnished canoe; 17m. Tabasintac R.: One of the best sea trout streams in N. B.; best after June 10; \$1.50 to \$2.00 a day for privilege, according to time; 20m from Newcastle. For privileges apply to John Cornell, Up. Bartibogue, North C., N. B.					

Hampton	Partridge, snipe, duck, geese.	Kennebecas River and Brooks	1	Trout, pickerel, salmon	W. Appleby, J. Minel.	2.00 to 3.00	Vendome
Nash's Creek	Moose, caribou, deer, partridge, duck.	Island Lake, Round Lake	10	Trout	H. Miller, W. Miller, D. Arsenault	2.00 and 3.00	St. George, Albion and Minto, \$1.00
Pasackeng	Deer, partridge, duck, snipe, near station.	Kennebecas River and Brooks	12	Trout	E. Whitteet, E. Brooks, R. Brooks	2.00 and 3.00	Sweeney House, \$1.50; Pettie Roche, \$1.50; Mainard House, \$1.00; Temperance Hotel
Penobscia	Deer, moose, partridge, plover, snipe, at Mount Fugab, Dove Hollow, Shepody Road, etc., 3 to 16 miles.	McManus, Bruin and Grass Lakes, McLeod Brook, Mechanic Lake, McManus.	12 to 18	Trout at Dickie's Mackerel and smelt in the Harbor.	E. Simpson, W. T. Evans, Martin Russell	2.00 and 3.00	Pt. du Chene House, \$1.50; Depot House, \$1.25
Petite Roche	Partridge, from 2 to 10 miles.	Nigadoo Lake	3	Trout			
Petitcodiac	Deer, moose, bear, partridge, at Canaan woods, 10m; Portage, 7m; Dry Hills, 3m.	Pollet River, Blackwood Canaan River and Portage.	7 to 16	Trout			
Point du Chene	Brant, on sand bar, 1/4 mile from station, in June; Geese, in harbor, in April.	Dickie's Mill Stream, Pt. du Chene Harbor.	3	Trout and salmon			
Quispansis	Geese and duck, from 1 to 2 miles.	Richies Lake, Darling's Lake, Otty's Brook and Munden's Brook, Bas River.	1 to 3	Trout			
Red Pine	Moose, caribou, deer, at Bas River Lake.	Fishing in Bay	4	Trout and codfish.	Wm. Gray, J. Bushier, W. Veneau and others.	2.00 to 4.00	Belle View, Hillhurst, \$1.50 to \$2.00; Hotel Bellevue, \$1.50 to \$2.00; Dominion House, \$1.50; Weldon, \$1.50; Terrace and Royal, \$1.50; Royal, \$1.50; Victoria, \$1.50; New Victoria, \$1.50; Clifton, Grand Union and others
Rothsary	Duck geese, in Kennebecas Bay.	Never's Brook, Canaan River	3 to 4	Trout	Gifford J. O'Neill, Albert W. Lockhart.		
Salisbury	Moose, caribou, deer, partridge.	Scott's Brook, 5 1/2 miles; Smith's 3 1/2 miles; head of Scoudac River.	3 to 4	Trout			
Shediac	Woodcock, at Loch Lomond and Mispec, 8 miles; snipe, at Taylor's Island, 4 miles; partridge within 8 miles; black duck.	Treadwell's Lake, 8m, trout; Loch Lomond, 9m, trout; Er-sira Lakes, 8m, trout (inquire of J. S. Coughlin). Milligan Lakes, Connolly Lakes, 8m, Canada houses.	3 to 4	Speckled trout. Land locked salmon.			
St. John	Deer	Walton Lake	10 to 15	Trout			Depot, Windsor, Royal, Central, \$1.00 to \$1.50
Sussex							

## PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

The Province of Nova Scotia has some excellent salmon and trout fishing grounds easily reached from the Intercolonial Railway, as will be seen by reference to the list of places given in these pages. There is good fishing in the counties of Cumberland and Colchester, and along that portion of the railway between Truro and the Strait of Canseau. Cape Breton has some very excellent salmon and trout fishing streams, the most notable of which is the Margaree River.

Big game is also found comparatively near the railway in the county of Cumberland, in the eastern part of Halifax county, and in Guysborough county, where some splendid specimens of moose have been shot in recent years. During the year 1900, a shooting party from Truro secured one of the largest moose killed in the Province for twenty years, and the largest one killed in Nova Scotia in the last century was shot in Halifax county during the same season by a sportsman from New York. It had a weight of sixteen hundred pounds, with immense antlers, and was otherwise a splendid specimen of the "Kings of the Forest" even in this part of the world. The following is a summary of the game laws and fishing regulations of the Province of Nova Scotia.

## PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA

(OPEN SEASON)

### HUNTING

**BIG GAME**—Moose, September 15th to January 1st. (No person shall kill more than two moose in one season.)

Caribou, September 15th to January 1st. (No person shall kill more than two caribou in one season.)

Deer and elk, protected until October, 1904.

The young of moose, caribou and deer, if only one year old or less, must not be killed.

Dogs must not be used to hunt moose or caribou.

Bear, all year.

**OTHER GAME**—Beaver, November 1st to March 1st.

Fox (yellow or red), at all times.

Hare or rabbit, October 1st to January 31st.

Mink, November 1st to February 28th.

Otter, all year.

**GAME BIRDS**—Woodcock, snipe, teal, blue-winged duck, wood duck, September 1st to February 28th.

Duck in Cumberland County, September 1st to April 30th.

Pheasant, blackcock, capercaillie, sharp-tailed grouse, spruce partridge, protected at all times.

Ruffed grouse, commonly called partridge, October 1st to November 30th.

Cape Breton, the open season for all birds (excepting partridge, which are protected) is from August 30th to February 28th.

### HUNTING LICENSES

**NON-RESIDENTS** are required to obtain licenses from the Provincial Secretary to shoot.

License fee, birds, hare and rabbits, \$10; other game, \$40.

### FISHING

Bass may be caught with hook and line at all times of the

Salmon, February 1st to August 15th.

Trout of all kinds and land-locked salmon, April 1st to September 30th.

### FISHING LICENSES

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# PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—FISHING AND HUNTING REPORTS ON THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—FISHING AND HUNTING REPORTS ON THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY								
Nearest Railway Station	SHOOTING		FISHING		Guides and their Charges per day	Livery Charge	Hotels	
	Kind of Game	Name of Stream	Miles from Station	Kind of Fish				
Amherst	Moose, geese, brant, duck, snipe	Tidnish, Long Lake	7 to 15	Trout, smelt, salmon	Write Game Commissioner	\$3 and \$5	Amherst Terrace, \$1.50	
Antigonish	Geese, duck, partridge	Lochaber Lake, West River, William's Point, Town's Point, Athol and Southampton Rivers	1 to 12	Trout	C. E. McIntosh, \$1.50	2.00; 3.00	Central, Merrimack and Queen, \$1.50	
Athol	Moose, duck, geese	Barney's River and Lake	2	Salmon and trout		2.00; 4.00	Wade's Hotel, \$1.00; Valley House, \$1.50	
Avondale	Moose, partridge, at Blue Mountain	Little River	1/2	Trout	M. Patterson	1.50 to 2.50	M. Patterson, \$1. per day; \$4. per week	
Bayfield Road	Geese, duck, in spring and fall	Brookfield, Up and Mid Stevie Lake	1/2	Trout, smelt and bass in bay		2.00	Bayfield House, \$1.50	
Brookfield	Moose at Birch Hill	Brookfield, Up and Mid Stevie Lake		Trout		2.00 to 4.00	Brookside and Albion House, \$1.50	
Denmark	Partridge at Birch Hill	Long Lake, Grand Lake		Gr. M. trout, bass	C. King	1.50	Mrs. Fraser, \$3.50 a wk.	
Enfield	Moose, partridge, woodcock, snipe	Folleigh and Trout Lakes		Trout	A. Horne	2.00; 3.00	Enfield House, \$1.00	
Folleigh	Moose, bear, partridge	George's River	3	Trout, salmon	W. McInnes, R. Steeves	1.00 to 2.00		
George's River, C. B.	Duck, snipe, etc.	Indian R., 20 m.; Ingram R., 25 m.	1/2	Salmon, lake and sea		2.50 to 5.00	Halifax, Queen, Waverley and other good hotels. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per day; and by the week as per arrangement.	
Glenegarry	Moose 5 miles from station	Chesler, 45 m. salmon, Musquodchuik, Point Peckwick, Tangier R., sea trout, Peck's Lake, lake trout, 20 m. Soles, Eagle Lake, Spider Lake, Prospect, Five Islands, Ketchikan, Hubert's Cove, Nigger, Stillwater and Kearney Lakes, 20 m. Salmon, Nine Mile R., Chain of Lakes six m. from the station and extending for 30 miles		Trout	John McDonald, James McDonald, Rod R. Grant, J. W. Grant		Scottie House, \$1.50 per day.	
Halifax	Woodcock and snipe at Chester; Mahar's Grant. Moose at Sheet Harbor.							
Hopewell	Moose, bear, partridge.							

Hastings, C.B.	Partridge, duck at Long Pond.	King's Lake, Horton Lake.	2	Trout	H. A. Archibald	2.00 to 4.00	Hastings, \$1.50; Caledonia, \$1.50
Harbour au Bosche	Duck, geese, snipe, gulls, loons	In the harbor, about one mile from station.		Trout, smelt, perch, herring, codfish.	Jno. Stewart, Vetal Levaug, Peter Bowman, Ronald McQuarrie, Caledonia, J. Scooter, 15 mile stream.	1.50 to 2.00	McDonald, \$1.50; Minto, \$1.50
Hopewell	Moose, caribou, partridge, at Trifolger, Black River, Caledonia, etc., 15 to 27 miles from station	Fishing in same section as shooting, also 15 mile stream.		Trout, sea and fresh water; salmon.			Scottie House, \$1.50
Londonderry	Moose, partridge, woodcock—Hill back of Central Economy, 20 miles from station	Newton's, Sutherland's, Gamble Lakes	6 to 20	Trout fishing	E. Walsh, Geo. A. McInnes, Jno. McInnes, S. Bigney, J. D. Matheson, Hiram Denby, Jacob Smith, Wilfrid Johnson, Big Island.		Well; J. McQuarrie, Caledonia; J. Scooter, Trifolger, Waverley, \$1.50
Macan	Moose, 2 miles from station					2.00; 4.00	Macan Hotel, \$1.50
Merigomish	Geese, brant, duck, in Mar. Apr. May. Also rabbit, partridge, woodcock, fox and muskrat.	Barney's River, the harbor and Big Island.	1/2 to 4	Trout, salmon, gaspercan and codfish.		1.50; 2.50	Riverside House
Mulgrave	Duck and partridge	Jelly's Lake, Goose Harbor Lake, Wababuckett River, Bras d'Or Lake.	3 to 7	Trout, cod, haddock	Tim Jellow, \$1.50; Thos. Mackay, \$1.50	1.50 to 2.00	Nonale, Central and Murray, \$1.50
McKinnons Harbor, C.B.	Black duck, partridge and rabbit.	Napier's Carran's Mills.	4	Trout and salmon	J. McKinnon, M. J. McKinnon, T. J. Gould, \$1.50	2.00; 3.00	Private houses
Nappan	Moose, geese, duck, snipe	Little Harbor, Pictou Island, Cape George, Big Island, Merrigo Mill Pond, Pottle's Lake.	3	Trout, etc.		3.00 to 5.00	Mrs. McKay, \$1.00
New Glasgow	Geese, duck, brant, in March and April.		1 to 2	Trout, salmon, codfish and mackerel.		2.00 to 4.00	Vendome, Norfolk and Windsor, \$1.50
North Sydney, C.B.				Trout and salmon.			Vendome, Belmont, Albert and Queen, \$1.50 to \$2.
North Sydney Jct.	Sea duck, partridge, at Bras d'Or Lake and George River, 2 m.	Barnackole, Scotch Lake.	1 to 10	Sea and brook trout.		2.00; 3.00	Revere House, \$2.00
Pictou	Geese, duck, brant, partridge, at Caribou Harbor, Cape John, Tatamagouche Bay.	Toney River, Caribou River and West River.	8 to 20	Trout, cod, mackerel.		2.50; 4.00	Wallace Hotel, \$1.50
Pugwash	Geese, brant, duck, partridge, rabbit, snipe, plover.	Wallace River, River Philip, Fox Harbor, Wallace Bay, Lake Killarney, Fountain Lake, Pictou, River Denys.	4 to 30	Striped bass, salmon, trout, perch, mackerel, codfish.		2.00; 4.00	Acadia, Central, Minto, \$1. to \$2.
River Denys, C.B.	Duck, geese, partridge.			Trout		1.50; 2.00	Farm houses
River John	Geese, duck, brant, partridge.	River John and small lakes.		Trout.		1.50; 3.00	Riverside, \$1.50



Shubenacadie	Moose, caribou, bear, woodcock, snipe, partridge.	Middle Musquodoboit, Crawford's Dollar Lake.	25	Salmon, trout, bass	Jas. Malay, John Bradley, Peter Paul, \$1.25	Sherman, American, \$1.00
South River	Black duck and geese	Walton Lake, 13 miles, Miramichi River, Sydney River and tributaries.		Trout	Boat and man, \$1.50 per day.	Sydney, \$1.50 to \$1.75; Miramichi, \$1.00; Sydney, \$1.00; Victoria, \$1.00; Walcott and others, \$1.00; Sterling, \$1.50
Sydney, C.B.	Duck at White's Lake, Grand Lake, Doctor's Lake, junco, snipe at Langan, 9m; Sept. and Oct.	Waugh's River, French River, Head of Tide, McKay's, Munroe's and Matchet's Lakes.	1 to 10	Sea and lake trout, bass, salmon.	Ephraim Mitchell, Markham Nitro.	Bay View and Halfway, \$1.00; Private houses, \$1.00; Leasmount, \$1.00; Stanley, \$1.50; Victoria, \$1.00; American, \$1.00
Tatamagouche	Moose, caribou, deer, bear, fox, wild cat, hare, partridge, quail 5 to 12 miles.	Black River	2	Trout		Wallace, Hillside \$1.50; Bayview, Hillside \$1.50; \$1.00 a week; Canfield, \$1.00; Waverley, McDonalds \$1.00; Private houses, W.M. Klog, S. G. Stevens \$1.00; Anderson House, 75c; \$1.00 a week
Tracadie	Wild geese and duck.			Trout in lakes		
Trenton	Geese and duck at Little Harbor	Economy, Newton, Sutherland, Fountain, Upper Stewiacke Lakes, Salmon and North Stewiacke R.	5 to 30	Trout, grayling and salmon in rivers.	Application should be made to D. A. Bishop.	
Truro	Moose, plover, curlew, snipe, woodcock and partridge.	Brooks and rivers.	5	Trout		
Valley	Moose at Greenfield, 6 to 10 m.	Wallace River.	4	Salmon and trout		
Wallace	Geese, duck, brant	Wallace River.	4	Salmon and trout		
Wallace Bridge	Geese, duck, brant	Charles, Soldier, Granite and Long Lakes, Lake William and Lake Thomas.	1/2 to 3	Trout, grayling, bass, perch.		
Waverley	Partridge, rabbit, woodcock, duck, moose; Guysboro Road, 5 miles.	Grand Lake, several small lakes.	1/2 to 3	Trout, grayling, bass	J. Bradley, W. J. King.	
Wellington		Newfound, Tannton and Sutherland Lakes.	3 to 9	Trout	Thos. Burnett	
Westchester		Ben's Lake, Greenfield, Carlock.	2 and 3	Trout and salmon		
West River	Moose at Big Meadows, 4 miles					

## PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Prince Edward Island is one of the objective points for summer tourists by the Intercolonial Railway, and a visit to it will well repay the traveller in search of recreation in a part of Canada famed for its healthful climate. The Island, measured in a line from east to west, has a length of about 110 miles, while its outline is so irregular that it varies in width from some thirty-five miles to necks where the distance across from water to water is but two or three miles. The large number of bays and inlets with which the coast is indented give admirable facilities for boating and bathing, and excellent summer hotels are found at such places as Pownal, Alberton Beach, Tracadie, Malpeque, Rustico, Brackley Beach, Stanhope, and Hampton. The charges for board range from \$5.00 to \$10.00 a week, the latter being the exception. Very reasonable terms may also be made at times at farm houses. The favorite beaches are on the north shore, where the surf from the ocean comes over long stretches of smooth, hard sand.

The general hotel rate per day in the smaller places on the Island is from \$1.00 to \$1.50, but in Charlottetown and Summerside some of the houses charge \$2.00 a day.

The Prince Edward Island Railway, a part of the Government Railway System, has a length of 210 miles, main line and branches, reaching all the principal villages, and giving the traveller easy access to all parts of the country. Charlottetown, the capital, may be reached by steamer direct from Picton, N.S., a distance of fifty miles, during the season of open navigation, as well as by the more direct route from the west by steamer from Point du Chene to Summerside, thirty-five miles, and thence by rail. It is a very attractive city, with a population of some 12,000, and has a fine harbor. The streets are broad and regular, and the public gardens are very tastefully laid out and kept. The city is the centre of a thickly settled and flourishing district. Summerside is also a busy place, while Georgetown and Souris have much about them that is attractive.

Prince Edward Island has a sandy soil, with gently undulating surface. There is an absence of rocks other than a soft sandstone, and the earth yields most abundantly in root and cereal crops. The potatoes and oats, large quantities of which are exported, have a high reputation. Many of the farms are models of their class, and the people in all parts of the Island are thrifty and prosperous. Among the live stock raised and exported are fine sheep and horses.

The Island oysters have a reputation which is not only international. Some of them are of enormous size, and all are of excellent quality.

There is no large game on Prince Edward Island, nor extensive salmon fly-fishing. Wild fowls are found in great numbers, however, in the spring and autumn, and large quantities may be bagged at various places along the shores, especially good shooting being found around Tignish and Souris, the extreme western and eastern points reached by the railway. The game consists of wild geese, brant, duck of various kinds, woodcock, plover, and snipe in their season.

Trout fishing is excellent and may be had in many streams. The chief of these are the Morell, Dunk, Pierre, Jacques, Miminigash, Kildare, Tigulish, Percival, Enmore, and Hunter Rivers. There is also very good fishing at North Lake and other places in the vicinity of East Point.

The close season for fishing is from October 1st to March 31st inclusive.

The provisions of the laws for the protection of game fix the close seasons as follows:

Partridge, between the 1st day of December and the 1st day of October.

Woodcock and snipe, between the 1st day of January and the 20th day of August.

Water fowl which are known as wild duck, between the 1st day of March and the 25th day of August.

Hares or rabbits, between the 1st day of March and the 1st day of September.

Muskrat, marten or otter, between the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November.

No eggs shall be had in possession, nor shall woodcock be killed before sunrise or after sunset. The penalty for breaches of the act is a fine not exceeding \$25 nor less than \$5, for each bird, animal or egg.

The killing of any kind of wild fowl is prohibited between sunset and sunrise. Penalty, \$50.

The steamer on the route between Pictou, N.S., and the Magdalen Islands, calls at Georgetown and Souris on its weekly trip going and returning, during the summer and autumn. These strange islands are a group in the centre of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and have much that is picturesque about them. In the past they have been the scene of many notable shipwrecks, but under the present system of lighthouses and fog signals, such ocean disasters have been avoided in this part of the Gulf. The people of the Magdalen Islands depend almost wholly upon the fisheries for their support. During the winter, and at times well into the spring, the Islands are surrounded by vast bodies of ice borne from the northern waters of the Gulf.

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No previous year has seen so many New Yorkers and other Americans passing through Moncton as in the past few weeks on their way to or from the great fishing streams of Eastern Canada. The Miramichi region of New Brunswick and the Baie de Chaleur country of New Brunswick and Quebec have attracted the majority of these sportsmen, but many other streams along the line of the Intercolonial Railway in the Maritime Provinces and the Lower St. Lawrence have had goodly numbers. The newcomer, who has whipped a Long Island stream all day for a dozen small trout, listens with amazement to the tales of the returning visitor who got a weighty string of two and three pounders in a few hours' fishing and had to desist because he had as many fish as he could possibly make use of. Most of the trout streams are practically free to all, the old legend that only a millionaire could be a successful fisherman being true only as regards certain salmon streams under lease. Even the American of modest purse who has ambitions in the salmon line can obtain lots of opportunities in certain good rivers at a small sum per day.

The fishing remains good all through August, and the rush of tourists this year is expected to continue into September. Whether the visitor comes by way of Montreal or through Boston and St. John, N.B., there is only one route to the haunts of the salmon and trout—the Intercolonial, a road owned and operated by the Canadian Government. The Maritime Express, the vestibuled train which runs daily over the 850-mile route between Montreal and Halifax, is a revelation to most strangers, with its splendid sleeping and dining cars and other up-to-date accommodations.

The big game season has not yet opened, but fishermen who own cameras would do well to bring them along. Moose, caribou and deer, protected by the best game laws in America, have increased enormously of late years, and opportunities to snapshot them are frequent. These animals have been seen this summer in long settled districts, where they had been totally unknown for more than fifty years, and have multiplied to such an extent that many farmers are complaining of damage to their crops. This is offset, however, by the large amount of money left here of late years by American big game hunters, and the only advice the grieved agriculturist gets is to build better fences.

### BOSTON "HERALD."

A very handsome large moose head now adorns the offices of the general passenger agent of the Boston & Maine Railroad in the North Station, Boston. The moose was shot by Mr. Dana J. Flanders, on his hunting trip to New Brunswick, with Dr. Heber Bishop, last September. Although the head has not a very wide spread of antlers, a little over three feet, and only about fifteen points, there is a very interesting story connected with it capture that makes it valuable to Mr. Flanders, and it is also the first bull moose that he ever shot.

Mr. Flanders had spent eight or ten seasons in various moose regions hunting this noble specimen of our big game, and without much success, as he never encountered a bull with a good-sized set of antlers. Last season Dr. Bishop persuaded him to accompany him on his annual moose hunt to New Brunswick. During the two weeks Mr. Flanders was in New Brunswick the weather was unpropitious for good moose calling. Although they saw over a dozen moose, none came up to Mr. Flanders' expectations till the end of the second week.

On the evening in question Mr. Flanders and Dr. Bishop, accompanied by their Indian guide and moose caller, Jim Paul, the celebrated chief of the St. John River tribe of Indians, had been calling moose at the foot of a lake near an old lumber



dam. Several bulls had answered the seductive calls of the Indian's birch bark horn, but it was getting late and none of the bulls had shown themselves.

Just as the sun had ceased to give them any light, and before the moon had risen sufficiently to be of any service, the noise made by the striking of the horns of a bull moose against trees could be heard distinctly as he approached the lake; then the crashing and breaking of rotten timber and sticks under the feet of several moose who could be heard approaching nearer and nearer to the canoe.

The Indian decided immediately to paddle toward the noise, and meet the moose, as it was too dark to see to shoot very far. A large bull first came out, followed a few moments later by a cow, and immediately behind the cow another smaller bull, their dark hulks plainly outlined against the shore.

The guide paddled to within sixty or seventy-five yards of the group, and as the horns of the biggest bull were plainly visible, Mr. Flanders opened his battery. He could not see the sights of the rifle, but he was firing at a big mark at rather close range, and making some very good guesses. After he had fired four or five shots the moose started to run, and he called to Dr. Bishop to bring his battery into action.

The moose paused a moment as he reached the bank, before leaping over it into the alders, to observe what the unusual noise was all about, and gave both gentlemen a chance to get in a few parting shots (a fatal mistake on the part of the moose) then he rushed off through the woods, making a noise similar to a train off the track.

The other two moose lingered a few moments, and then quickly made off, and the other guides, two miles away in camp, thought the Boers had invaded New Brunswick. Fourteen shots in all were fired.

It was by that time too dark to follow the bull, and the trio decided to go to their tent on the wing of the dam and wait till daylight. Early in the morning they returned, and after landing from the canoe found the tracks of the big bull, and discovered several pools of blood. They were enabled to follow him a quarter of a mile back into the woods by the blood, but finally the bleeding ceased, and the bull's tracks got mixed up with those of other moose, and it was feared he would be lost.

Mr. Flanders and Dr. Bishop returned to the tent for breakfast, but the Indian kept on the trail. They were discussing their chances of finding the bull (realizing that his wounds must be fatal) over their coffee, when they were startled by the report of a rifle in the section where they had left the Indian, followed by a second shot.

This was encouraging, but upon the arrival of the Indian they learned that a black bear was also on the moose's track, and Jim had fired twice at him, one of the shots breaking one of the bear's forelegs. They all decided to continue the search, but that evening a message came in from the settlement with a telegram for Mr. Flanders, obliging him to return to Boston. The doctor agreed to make diligent search for the moose, and if it was found, to bring out the antlers when he returned.

Dr. Bishop divided the territory into sections, and hunted with his Indian and guides far several days without success, but on the fifth day came upon the track of a bear that was dragging one foreleg. He divined at once that the bear was feeding on his moose's carcass, and devoted his energies, after calling the Indian to him, to tracking the bear. In a short time they came upon the bear, feeding on the moose, and in their jubilation over finding the bull the bear escaped without further injury.

It was found that four of the fourteen bullets fired had taken effect; one in the fleshy part of the neck, another in the shoulder, high up; one through a hind leg, and the fourth had pierced his belly for the distance of about six inches and then came out.

The meat was not touched, but the antlers and scalp with skull were removed and pickled, and subsequently brought to Boston, where they were beautifully mounted, and Mr. Flanders has his moose with a history.

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